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SUBJECT: FUNDS FOR PROCESSING KURDISH REFUGEES TO US

1. WE ARE PLEASED TO HEAR OF THE PROGRESS MADE CONCERNING
PROCESSING OF KURDISH REFUGEES.

2. PLEASE CLARIFY TO UNHCR THAT D/HA IS NOT IN A POSITION
TO PROVIDE FUNDS FOR CARE AND MAINTENANCE IN GERMANY. AS
MISSION AWARE, WITH CHANGED SYSTEM FOR EMERGENCY FUNDS
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ESTABLISHED UNDER NEW AUTHORIZING LEGISLATION AND LACK OF

APPROPRIATIONS OR AUTHORITY UNDER CONTINUING RESOLUTION,
USG CANNOT PROVIDE FUNDS AT PRESENT.

3. HOWEVER; AS IN THE CASE OF ASSISTING ASSYRIAN AND ARMEN-
IAN UN MANDATED REFUGEES IN LEBANON THE DEPARTMENT IS PRE-
PARED ONCE APPROPRIATIONS ARE AVAILABLE TO RECOMMEND PRESI-
DENTIAL DETERMINATION FOR THIS PURPOSE UNDER NEW SYSTEM DE-
CREED BY CONGRESS.

4. IMPORTANT TO MAKE THE DISTINCTION THAT WE CANNOT COMMIT
THE ADMINISTRATION AT THIS TIME, BUT THIS CAN BE TAKEN AS A
FIRM COMMITMENT BY THE DEPARTMENT TO SEEK FUNDS FOR THIS
PURPOSE THROUGH A PRESIDENTIAL DETERMINATION.

5. MISSION SHOULD INFORM UNHCR AND REPORT REACTION ASAP. KISSINGER

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